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Sir:

Responsive to the Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee(s) Due dated December 18, 2001, Applicant remarks as follows.

<u>REMARKS</u>

Applicant herewith submits a copy of a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449 of which it does not yet have an initialed copy from the Examiner. This Information Disclosure Statement was initially submitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on November 15, 2001. To the extent the PTO-1449 has not already been initialed in the file, such examination and initialing is requested at this time, and returning of a copy to the undersigned.

As this application is in immediate condition for allowance, prompt return of the initialed 1449 is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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